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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
M. YOKOYAMA, et al.

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Examiner: **A. Pryor**

For: **Plant Activator**

AMENDMENT

NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the official Office Action mailed May 19, 2003, (the time for response to which having been extended by virtue of a petition under 37 CFR 1.136(a) and requisite fee filed herewith), in the matter of the above-identified application, kindly amend the same as follows: